Country: United Arab Emirates

Years: 1971-2005

Head of government: Sheikh Maktum III ibn Rashid Al Maktum

Ideology: rightist

Description: HoG does not identify ideology. Perspective monde does not identify head of government’s party. CHISOLS does not identify head of government’s party. Hvidt (2011: 85) writes that “Dubai has applied an economic developmental model which is strongly pro-business, emphasizes market liberalism and economic openness, and embraces globalization.”

Years: 2006-2020

Head of government: Sheikh Muhammad ibn Rashid Al Maktum

Ideology: rightist

Description: HoG does not identify ideology. Varieties of Democracy identifies party affiliation as none. Perspective monde does not identify head of government’s party. CHISOLS does not identify head of government party. Hvidt (2011: 85) writes that “Dubai has applied an economic developmental model which is strongly pro-business, emphasizes market liberalism and economic openness, and embraces globalization.”

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